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Group Art Unit: 3723

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In re application of

Walter WIRZ

Appln. No.: 10/046,154

Confirmation No.: 5828

Filed: January 16, 2002

For: PRO

PROCESS FOR THE FINE MACHINING OF THE TOOTHED GEARS OF A GEARBOX

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby respectfully requests a refund in the amount of \$65.00. This refund is to be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

On March 13, 2002, we responded to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated February 15, 2002. We believe that this Notice was issued in error since a copy of the Declaration as filed in the parent application (U.S. Application No. 09/475,151, filed December 30, 1999) was submitted concurrently with the filing of the **Divisional Application** on January 16, 2002.

On March 18, 2002, our deposit account was debited \$65.00 (small entity fee) for late submission of the Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified **Divisional**Application. This charge is believed to be in error in view of the foregoing; and therefore, we are requesting a refund of the \$65.00.

A copy of page 5 of the Monthly Statement of Deposit Account dated March 29, 2002, showing the charge to our account, and copies of the date stamped filing receipt and the PTO transmittal letter of January 16, 2002, are enclosed.

A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

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Re:

Application of Walter WIRZ

PROCESS AND DEVICE FOR THE FINE MACHINING OF THE TOOTHED

GEARS OF A GEARBOX Assignee: REISHAUER AG

Our Ref: Q67889

Dear Sir:

This is a request for a Divisional Application of pending prior Application No. 09/475,151 filed December 30, 1999 of Walter WIRZ entitled PROCESS AND DEVICE FOR THE FINE MACHINING OF THE TOOTHED GEARS OF A GEARBOX.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b). Enclosed is a specification, including the claims and abstract, 2 sheets of drawings, a copy of the Declaration and a copy of the Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status as filed in the prior application. Also enclosed is a PTO Form 1449 listing references cited by applicant and/or the examiner during prosecution of the parent application, a Preliminary Amendment and a substitute specification with 4 sheets of formal drawings.

The prior application is assigned to Group Art Unit 3723.

Priority is claimed from:

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Application No

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The priority document was filed in parent Application No. 09/475,151 and receipt thereof has been acknowledged by the Examiner in Paper No. 7.



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Applicant claims benefit of small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.27.

The Government filing fee is calculated, after entry of the Preliminary Amendment, as follows (Small Entity fees apply):

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A check for the statutory fee of \$370.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

The application is timely filed.

Respectfully submitted, SUGHRUE MION, PLLC Attorneys for Applicant

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